

By: Guillen

H.R. No. 2029

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, The passing of Margarita Carrera Garcia of Rio
2 Grande City on July 17, 2016, at the age of 84 brought a great loss
3 to her family and friends; and

4 WHEREAS, A Rio Grande City native, the former Margarita
5 Carrera was born to Gregoria Pena and Odilon Carrera Jr. on October
6 20, 1931; she grew up with the companionship of four siblings,
7 Roberto, Odilon, Rubiola, and Ernestina, and graduated from Rio
8 Grande City High School; and

9 WHEREAS, On April 25, 1954, she married her true love, Jose
10 Leon Garcia, and the devoted couple were blessed with four
11 children, Jose, Sylvia, Ernesto, and Elda; while raising her
12 family, Mrs. Garcia also served as a bookkeeper for her husband's
13 business, and her exceptional skills were instrumental in his long
14 and successful career as an independent distributor for Borden in
15 the western Rio Grande Valley; and

16 WHEREAS, Mrs. Garcia adored holidays and other get-togethers
17 with her loved ones, and she delighted in spending hours in the
18 kitchen with her husband preparing special meals for the family;
19 she took great pride in her eight grandchildren and six
20 great-grandchildren; and

21 WHEREAS, Margarita Garcia lived a rich and purposeful life
22 centered around her family and her faith, and she is remembered with
23 deep affection by all who were fortunate enough to know her; now,
24 therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 86th Texas
2 Legislature hereby pay tribute to the memory of Margarita Carrera
3 Garcia and extend sincere condolences to her relatives and friends;
4 and, be it further

5 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
6 prepared for her family and that when the Texas House of
7 Representatives adjourns this day, it do so in memory of Margarita
8 Garcia.